

Camp No. 1099.—The services of Major Bowen, R. E., Under-Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, having been placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department for employment in Mysore, he is appointed as Superintending Engineer and Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Public Works Department.

2. He assumed charge of the above office on the forenoon of the 16th instant, pending formal assumption of charge on return of Captain Kensington from privilege leave.

Camp No. 1101.—Mr. F. J. McLaughlin, officiated as Superintending Engineer and Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Public Works Department, from the 17th July 1885 to the afternoon of the 15th instant.

The 22nd September 1885.

Camp No. 1114.—The following transfers of Amildars in the Mysore District are ordered as a temporary measure :—

Raghunatha Rao, from Heggaddevankote to Nanjangud.

B. Lakshman Rao, from Nanjangud to Mysore, to join on being relieved by Raghunatha Rao, on return from privilege leave.

By Order,
R. VIJAYINDRA RAO,
Secretary.

EDUCATION.

The 21st August 1885.

NOTICE TO MATRICULATED CANDIDATES FOR THE HAND-WRITING TEST.

The Hand-writing Test for Matriculated candidates will be held on Friday the 4th December next, at 11½ A. M., at the following places in the Mysore State :—

Bangalore.		Mysore.		Shimoga.		Hassan.
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2. Candidates must send in their applications on printed forms, which may be obtained from the undersigned, so as to reach Madras on or before the 30th September next, after which date no applications will be received.

3. Each application should be superscribed "*Application for admission to the Examination in Hand-writing*" and sent direct to

The Secretary to the Commissioner
for the U. C. S. Examinations, Madras.

4. The prescribed fee (Rupees 2) must be paid in every case into a Government Treasury or the Bank of Madras. The fee will neither be returned nor reserved for a subsequent examination. A receipt for the fee will be given both on the face of the form of application and on a separate printed form. The latter should be retained by the candidate.

5. Candidates anxious to assure themselves that their applications have been received should enclose an addressed post-card in their respective applications. Such post-cards will be initialed or stamped simply and returned through the post to the addressee. No other form of acknowledgment except that required by the Postal Rules regarding registered letters can possibly be given.

The 4th August 1885.

HIGHER EXAMINATION FOR WOMEN AND THE SPECIAL UPPER PRIMARY EXAMINATION.

The Commissioner for the U. C. S. Examinations hereby notifies that the Departmental Examinations laid down in the Educational Grant-in-Aid Code will be held on the 8th December next and following days at Bangalore.

2. The Examinations will be conducted in the order of time and subjects shown below :—

Dates.	Hours.	Higher Examination for Women.	Special Upper Primary Examination.
8th December ...	10 — 12½	Arithmetic ...	Arithmetic.
" " ...	12½ — 1	English Dictation ...	English Dictation.
" " ...	2 — 4	Geography ...	Geography.
" " ...	4 — 4½	Vernacular Dictation ...	Vernacular Dictation.
9th " ..	10 — 1	English Prose and Poetry, Matriculation Text Books.	English Poetry (Selections No. 1), two hours.
" " ...	2 — 5	English Grammar and Language, Reciprocal Translation (or Paraphrase and Composition)	English Grammar and Composition, two hours.
10th " ...	10 — 1	Vernacular Prose and Poetry, Matriculation Text Books.	Vernacular Poetry (Text books prescribed in the Code), two hours.
" " ...	2 — 5	Vernacular Grammar and Composition...	Vernacular Grammar and Composition, two hours.
11th " ...	10 — 11½	Indian History ...	Indian History.
" " ...	11½ — 1	English History ...	Hygiene.
" " ...	2 — 5	Needle-work ...	Needle-work.
12th " ...	10 — 11½	History of English Literature.	Agriculture.
" " ...	11½ — 1	Geology ...	...
" " ...	2 — 3½	Chemistry ...	...
" " ...	3½ — 5	Physics ...	...
14th " ...	10 — 11½	Mathematics ...	...
" " ...	11½ — 1	Astronomy ...	...
" " ...	2 — 3½	Botany ...	...

3. The following fees must be paid into a Government Treasury or the Bank of Madras. In the latter case the duplicate receipt must be attached to the application.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Higher Examination for Women	5	0	0
Special Upper Primary Examination (complete) Male and Female Candidates.	3	0	0
Do do — In the English Language Papers only, having already passed the complete test in a Vernacular	3	0	0
Do do — In the Vernacular Language Papers only, having already passed the complete test in English	2	0	0

4. Candidates are required to send in their applications for examination on *printed* forms, which may be obtained on application to the undersigned.

5. All applications should be sent direct post-paid, superscribed—

Application for the Higher Examination for Women or Application for the Special Upper Primary Examination (as the case may be) and addressed

To

The Secretary to the Commissioner
for the U. C. S. Examinations,

Madras.

The applications should be despatched so as to reach Madras not later than the 30th September next, after which date no application will be received. Candidates anxious to assure themselves that their applications have been received should enclose an *addressed post-card* in their respective applications. Such post-cards will be initialed simply and returned through the post to the addressee. No other form of acknowledgment except that required by the Postal Rules regarding registered letters can possibly be given.

L. RICE,
Education Secretary.